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In Re Application Of:

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, August 12, 2003, rejecting Claims 1-4, 8, 10, 12-14 and 16-23.

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